Remarks

Claims 1 to 7 have been cancelled in order to overcome a rejection based on 28 U.S.C. § 101, double patenting, in co-pending Application Serial No. 09/606,501. Entry of the Amendment is earnestly solicited.

Should any matters require resolution prior to entry of this Second Preliminary Amendment, the Examiner is requested to telephonically contact the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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